

On This Side Of The Sun

By Phat

WEATHER—The Palm Springs official thermometer broke this week. . . . But our envious neighbors are cautioned not to chortle too soon. Read on. The part of the thermometer which went haywire was the MINIMUM side. The maximum end is taking the top temperatures in stride. But on the other end, there's no saying how cool it gets here at night. The policeman who records the daily weather faithfully sets down the maximum but where he should put the minimum figures he is forced to write "out of order" . . . Some of the soldiers stationed here say he is wrong. They claim the minimum is O. K. and that it is the maximum which is really "out of order."

INSIGNIA—I still believe that some sort of insignia should be worn by men obviously of the draft age, who are not in uniform because of some good reason—4-F, in an essential industry or discharged from service and back in civvies because of wounds. It would save them much embarrassment and possible physical injury. . . . Two veterans of Guadalcanal, wounded in action and honorably discharged, were recently beaten up by draftees because they were not in uniform. . . . Other instances have been reported where 4-F men were beaten first and questioned later. . . . The sad part of it is that some of the men who beat them up were responsible for five men in the army—themselves and the four men who had to drag them to the draft board. . . .

HE TOLD HER—Which reminds me—a youth, student in engineering at a midwest college and deferred by his draft board until he finished his studies because the army needs engineers, was scornfully questioned by the officious lady sitting next to him in a street car: "And why aren't you in uniform, young man?" Too weary to explain, the youth answered, "Madam, I have leprosy." The officious lady thereupon decided to move to another seat. . . . Benito Mussolini is a brave old boy. To the defenders of Sicily he wired: "I am with you—in spirit."

CLOTHING—If you don't want those little tanks, airplanes and guns in ration book No. 3 to apply to clothing: Don't buy more clothes than you need; don't buy clothes before you need them; make your clothing last as long as possible. If you follow this line, says Donald Nelson, there'll

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Convalescents From Torney Are Moved To Mountain Camp

First patients from Torney General Hospital were sent this week to the new Convalescent and Reconditioning camp in Mill Creek canyon, a few miles back of Redlands.

The camp, which is a branch of the local army hospital, has been put in shape for the occupants after weeks of work. It is the former Mill Creek canyon CCC camp.

Located high above Redlands, the invigorating climate is reported ideal for the patients.

At first intended for a convalescent camp, it is now also a reconditioning camp where men, who will return to combat duty, are given the training which will condition them for the rigorous work ahead.

The camp, 45 miles from Palm Springs, is under the administration of Torney General Hospital.

If You Don't Have To Travel—Don't; Let the Boys Ride

If you don't have to travel, don't.

Give the boys in the service a chance to get home on their all-too-brief leaves, to visit their parents.

Last week-end Director of Public Works Raymond M. Sorum, and Mrs. Sorum, were anticipating a visit from their son, Raymond E. Sorum, who is with the U. S. Navy and stationed at San Diego. It was to be his first visit home in four and one half months.

But he didn't get here. He was unable to board a bus out of San Diego, in fact, unable to get close to the ticket window until so much time of his short leave had been consumed that he could not come.

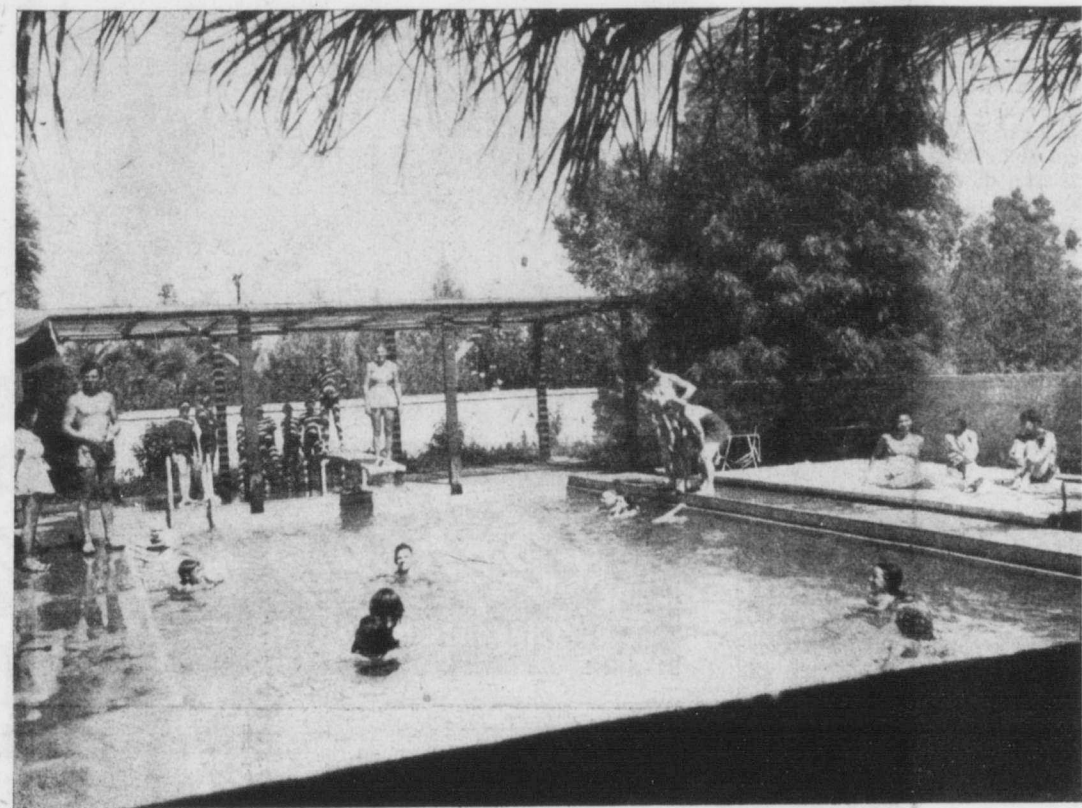


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COME ON IN!—The water really is fine. Palm Springs new municipal pool at the F. W. Cutler residence is packing them in these days. Above is shown a view of the plunge on a midweek afternoon. The youngsters who scrambled to stand under the pergola at the end to get into the picture, got in, all right, but the shadows make them look like zebras. R. H. Bennett, supervisor of the recreation project, is shown at the edge of the pool at the left. (Partridge Photo.)

Gail Sollender Is Named Aide At Local USO

Miss Gail Sollender, formerly office executive of the Sun and Sand Caravan of USO Mobile Service, was recently appointed by the National Board of the Y. W. C. A., as assistant director of the Palm Springs USO club, under Mrs. Eloise Hirt, director. She will be responsible for all program work, junior hostess activities and group work in the club. At the present time she is assisting Miss Elizabeth Caulkins, temporary director who is taking over the duties of Mrs. Hirt for the next month. Together they are formulating plans for a varied schedule of events for service men, their wives, and all USO hostesses. With the completion of interior and exterior changes in the local club, a regular weekly program will be announced.

Miss Sollender helped organize the Sun and Sand Caravan of USO Mobile Service several months ago, and, with Mrs. Marguerite Van Derwerker, director, she planned co-ed dances for enlisted men throughout the desert training area.

Previous to her affiliation with the National USO, she had done volunteer work with the Ambassador Hotel Officer and Cadets Club in Los Angeles and with the Inglewood USO Club where she handled publicity. She is especially skilled in directing sports, social dancing, social recreation, dramatics and crafts.

High School Acts To Purchase More Land Near Campus

Palm Springs Union high school district this week took action to acquire additional land adjacent to its present campus and advertised for sealed bids from eligible property owners for the purchase of parcels approximately 10 acres in size.

The land will be used by the physical education department.

Property owners whose land is in proper juxtaposition to the campus are invited to submit description of their offer, exact size and price in sealed bids to be opened by the board at its August 4 meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Visitors in Village

Former City Manager Arthur E. Bailey, accompanied by Mrs. Bailey and two daughters, was a visitor in Palm Springs on Wednesday.

The Baileys are now at Big Bear and Mr. Bailey says it is a great place to be during the summer months.

Official Village Thermometer Breaks —It Wasn't the Heat

A careful check of temperatures at the local police station was unavailable this week insofar as minimum recordings were concerned.

Contrary to the hopes of envious rivals, temperatures here did not break the thermometer on the maximum side. But something went haywire with the minimum side. So for six days of the week only the maximum is shown.

But the minimum hovered around the 60 mark, dropping even lower Thursday morning when it was almost chilly just before dawn.

The record for the week as reported Wednesday:

Date	Max.	Min.
July 8	115	63
July 9	112	*
July 10	112	*
July 11	108	*
July 12	107	*
July 13	108	*
July 14	106	*

*—Out of order.

Villagers Get New A-Books, Valid July 22

The Palm Springs War Price and Rationing board this week was winding up the business of renewing A-books for Village motorists with most of the applications in and processed and the new books in the mails.

Coupon 7 in the new book will become effective next Thursday.

William A. Lippman, chairman of the local board, was high in his praise for the volunteer workers (Continued on page Four)

Council Meets In Interesting Session July 21

City council will meet next Wednesday at the council chambers in what promises to be an interesting session.

The principal item on the agenda for the session is the controversial ordinance, No. 137, adopted a few weeks ago, which bans flushing sidewalks in such a manner that the water accumulates in gutters and forms ponds in low spots.

The bill is under attack from two sides.

UNDER TWO FIRES

At last council meeting, Councilman Frank Cutler introduced an amended ordinance, easing the restrictions written into the original measure and Councilman Philip L. Boyd introduced a resolution (Continued on Page Five)

Palm Springs Gets National Publicity In Air Base Story

How it feels to mother a flock of high-powered aviators, men with years of commercial flying behind them and army flyers, is related in a highly interesting story in the Saturday Evening Post this week.

Illustrated in color, it is a story told by Mrs. Wilberta Lipps of the Del Tahquitz hotel to Richard Sheridan Ames, of the start of the Palm Springs Ferrying Command base when the Del Tahquitz housed the pilots stationed here while quarters were being erected at the field.

It is a colorful tale of the men who pioneered the local base, well told and well written—also excellent publicity for Palm Springs.

Recent Visitor to Palm Springs Finds He's a General on Return to the East

William H. Tunner, commanding officer of the Ferrying Division, Air Transport Command, has been promoted to the rank of brigadier general, according to word received in Palm Springs this week by Lt. Col. Andrew B. Cannon, commanding officer of the 21st Ferrying Group.

Gen. Tunner visited in Palm Springs recently when he made his first inspection of the local army air field. His promotion came shortly after he returned to ferrying division headquarters in Cincinnati, Ohio.

URNS TO FLYING

The general is a West Pointer and was commissioned originally as a second lieutenant of field artillery in 1928. He turned quickly to flying, however, and was graduated in October, 1929, from Brook Field's primary training school.

He was sent to the Air Transport Command in June, 1941, as

personnel officer and in December was appointed commanding officer of the domestic division of the Ferrying command.

IN FULL CHARGE

Moving up again he accepted appointment as commanding officer of the entire ferrying division in July, 1942, after attaining full colonelcy two months before. He is a command pilot and has seen service in numerous camps and stations in this country and abroad.

Gen. Tunner wears ribbons for service in three different war theaters of operations.

Action on Projects to End Housing Shortage Said Near

Two Apartment Hotels Reported Leased to Government for
War Workers; Conversion of Other Buildings Is Planned

Definite action to relieve the housing shortage for essential workers at army bases here was under way this week-end and further steps were in preparation to provide additional dwelling units it was believed. Official confirmation was unavailable because the man in charge was out of town, putting the finishing touches on several projects.

Work on the projects involving the leasing of two apartment hotels in the north end of the Village for housing units and conversion of three or four other buildings, now not in business use, into apartments, has been under way for some weeks.

First steps will come next week, it is reported, when the apartment hotels will be leased to the government and made available for war workers. Exact number of units was not revealed.

LONG AT WORK

For some weeks Culver Nichols, well known Village realtor, has been acting as agent for the War Housing center here, maintaining offices at Torney General Hospital. Villagers with buildings they were willing to lease to the government for conversion into dwelling units, or those desiring to lease existing dwellings to the government for housing purposes, filed their applications there.

This office was closed two weeks ago when Mr. Nichols announced that all applications had been filed and were before authorities for study.

PLANS READY

Albert Frey, local architect, has been busy on plans for converting at least three business buildings into dwelling units by the installation of bathrooms and kitchens and the erection of partitions for some time.

These plans are about ready and as soon as official approval is given the proposed leases, work can be started, it is reported.

Mr. Nichols, representing the housing center here, went to San Francisco last week-end on matters connected with the projects and on his return last Monday, was called to Los Angeles this week for further conferences.

NHA MAN HERE

Howard Merkle, representing the regional offices of the National Housing agency in San Francisco, was here last week to confer with Mr. Nichols on the local projects.

The two apartment hotels to be leased to the government are reported to be the Cahulla hotel and the Desert Retreat. One of the conversion projects is reported to be the Swedish Inn and a \$11,000 building permit was issued for that project some time ago. Mr. Nichols could not be reached this week for confirmation of the reports.

Miss Vera Wilkeson Acting Red Cross Director at Torney

Miss Vera Wilkeson of the Torney General Hospital Red Cross staff, is now acting field director for the Red Cross there, handling the duties of Miss Ruth Thomas, first field director of the institution, who left last week for Washington, D. C.

In the national capital, Miss Thomas will work with the national training organization of the Red Cross. She initiated Red Cross service at the local hospital, coming here last September.

In the eight months that she was here, Miss Thomas inaugurated and carried out a program of great usefulness and help to the men at Torney.

Coffee Rationing to Come to an End Aug. 11, Forecast.

According to word given out by the OPA in Washington, coffee rationing is on its last legs.

Supplies of coffee will be ample by August 11, it was predicted, to make rationing unnecessary. Only some unexpected happening could stop dropping of rationing.

Coffee stamp No. 21, now good, expires Wednesday and coffee stamp No. 22, which becomes effective Thursday, expires August 11.

Village Quota in Fall Drive Set at \$8,500

Palm Springs' official quota in the coordinated war effort fund campaign, to be inaugurated this fall, was set at \$8500 at a meeting of the Riverside county unit of the California War Chest, Inc., held Tuesday at Riverside with Mayor F. V. Shannon representing this city.

Japs Know Now Defeat Is Certain

MacArthur Aide,
Here on Visit,
Discusses Pacific

The Japanese know by now that they are up against the "real thing" and face certain ultimate defeat, according to Col. Clinton J. Herrold, member of General Douglas A. MacArthur's staff in the Pacific theater of the war, who spent two weeks here en route from the battle zones to Washington, D. C.

As a result they are fighting desperately, resorting to savage warfare to stave off defeat or to sell victory dearly to the United Nations.

LONG IN ACTION

Col. Herrold was in charge of coordination of all supplies and transportation in the New Guinea campaign and spent many weeks in that battle area. As a result of his outstanding work, he received a citation of the Legion of Merit and the medal is expected to be awarded him at Washington.

A veteran of many major conflicts in two World Wars, he came through untouched by the enemy. Eye trouble which developed in New Guinea, however, forced him from the front lines.

PRATSES COOPERATION

He arrived in San Francisco late in June and after two weeks of rest here, proceeded east to Washington Saturday. His wife and three sons, whom he has not seen since Christmas, 1941, live near the capital.

Col. Herrold was also high in his praise of the cooperation and coordination of the Australian and United States armies. That cooperation spells defeat for the Japanese, he said.

"It is difficult to understand and appreciate just how close the men of the two armies are cooperating," (Continued on Page Five)

Elementary School Board Purchases Sixty New Desks

Preparedness is the motto of the Desert District school board.

This week 60 new desks and seats were installed in the school houses of the district—Frances S. Stevens, Nellie N. Coffman, Cahulla and Cathedral City schools.

Frances F. Crocker, member of the board, declared that the district was fortunate in being able to find the desks as they are scarce.

Maximum enrollment last year was over 400 and this figure is expected to increase this fall. To provide for the anticipated gain, the desks were purchased by the board and installed this week.

Dates for the drive were set as from October 12 to November 30.

The meeting was the first one in the county of the new war relief set-up wherein all campaigns for funds for various organizations active on the home front and for aid to the United Nations, will be conducted as one.

AGENCIES LISTED

Agencies to be aided in the campaign, in order of importance are:

For the fighting forces: USO (itself six campaigns in one; United Seaman's Service; War Prisoners' Aid.

For Refugee Relief: Refugee Relief trustees; United States Committee for the Care of European Children.

For United Nations Relief: Belgian, British, French, Greek, Norwegian, Polish, Holland, Russian, China, Czechoslovak, Yugoslav.

RED CROSS IN SPRING

Not included in the fall campaign is the American Red Cross. The annual Red Cross drive will be staged in the spring, as usual, and one of the reasons the fall was chosen for the coordinated drive was to leave the field free for the Red Cross in spring.

Also not included in the list is the March of Dimes, Christmas Seals, Boy Scouts, Salvation Army and like organizations. It was pointed out at Tuesday's meeting that the former two are really not drives. Campaigns for Scouts, Salvation Army and the like, will be added to local quotas in the fall drive.

The addition of these organizations will bring the Palm Springs fall drive quota to approximately \$10,000.

Organization of the county unit of the California War Chest, Inc., resulted in the election of A. B. West as permanent chairman, William Fleming as secretary and Charles Brouse as treasurer.

Mayor Shannon was appointed temporary chairman of the Palm Springs unit of the county organization. He is urging all groups represented in the list of agencies (Continued on Page Five)

1708 Motorists in Village Dig Up \$5 Each for Auto Tax

Up to Thursday noon, 1708 motorists had purchased the yellow auto use tax stamp which must be displayed on all windshields for the 1943-44 fiscal year.

This represents a "take" of \$8340 for Uncle Sam from local motorists.

In the meantime, the Automobile Club of Southern California warned its numerous members and other motorists, that severe penalties face drivers who fail to display the stamp.

The stamps will be on sale all during July but vehicles operated without the insignia subject the driver and owner to \$25 fines or 30-day prison terms or both, upon conviction in federal court.

Lieut. Cruncleton Back in U. S., Will Bring Bride Here

Lieut. Charles "Buster" Cruncleton, of the Army Air Force, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cruncleton, is back in the United States after months of service in the South Pacific war theater and expects to visit the Village soon.

His parents are staying at Costa Mesa for the summer months.

Lieut. Cruncleton is in a hospital in central California resting up from his strenuous duties in the war zone.

Mr. and Mrs. Cruncleton were in the Village briefly this week looking after business interests here and brought word that their son was back in California. They were eagerly awaiting his arrival here.

Mrs. Cruncleton said that he would not come south alone—he would bring his bride with him. He expects to be married after leaving the hospital.

John W. Williams, well known Palm Springs realtor, with Mrs. Williams and family, is spending the summer at the Williams' cabin at Idyllwild.

Three Teams Still Undefeated in New Soft Ball League

TEAM STANDINGS

Teams	W	L	Pct.
459th Sqd. (AAF)	2	0	1.000
737th Sanitary	2	0	1.000
Fer. Nite Flyers	2	0	1.000
Torney Officers	1	1	.500
Ferry Straffers	1	1	.500
Torney Enlist. Men	1	1	.500
742nd Sanitary	1	1	.500
Ferry Officers	1	2	.333
22nd Gen. Hosp.	0	2	.000
TUP Airlines	0	3	.000

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

459th Air Base, 9, TUP Airlines 0; Night Flyers, 14, 22nd General Hospital, 0; Torney Officers, 5, Ferrying Officers, 16; 742nd Sanitary, 20, TUP Airlines, 7.

NEXT WEEK'S GAMES

Monday, July 19—Night Flyers vs. TUP Airlines; Tuesday—Ferrying Officers vs. Torney Enlisted Men; Wednesday—22nd General Hospital vs. 459th Air Base; Thursday—737th Sanitary vs. Torney Officers; Friday—Straffers vs. 742nd Sanitary.

Three teams are tied for the lead as the Palm Springs Army soft-ball league concluded another week of play on the local Field club grounds.

Two teams from the 21st Ferrying Group, Ferrying Division, Air Transport Command, the Night Flyers and the 459th Squadron, are locked with the 737th Sanitary from Torney with two victories apiece without any losses.

Four teams follow with a win and a loss apiece. Only two teams have failed to win a game.

Next week's schedule figures adjust some of the teams into places they should occupy in the standings and at least one and perhaps two of the unbeaten clubs will have a loss registered against them.

Mrs. Clarence Hyde Off on Vacation Trip

Mrs. Clarence Hyde left Tuesday morning for San Diego to visit her niece, Mrs. Elizabeth Shultz for a few days. Mrs. Shultz expects to leave for the east in two weeks.

From San Diego, Mrs. Hyde will go to Hermosa Beach to spend a few weeks with her daughter, Mildred Hyde, in charge of summer school work at the coast resort.

Cathedral City

W. R. HILLERY

Just suppose James W. Kyle had started in life with the objective of accumulating a fortune instead of giving his life to teaching. Our little village would never have known this very interesting man. The energy and resourcefulness he mixes with his high ideals encourages others to carry on and make their community always a better place to live in. These few sentences from a late letter tells of his activity at Redlands University where he taught for many years: "Professor Joseph Baccus of the University, English Department, has quite a lot of duplicates in English and American literature, fiction and non-fiction, and he offered to let me pick out from them any that I thought might be useful to the Cathedral City Public Library, so I have selected 49 which I have brought down to my house and will bring them to Mrs. Ide when I come out. I have no doubt that if I keep on talking about the library I shall get some more. (Mr. Kyle then tells the source from which he expects to secure more books.) Tell Mrs. Hillery I shall make a typewritten list of all the books I secure and send it to her. Mrs. Kyle keeps talking to everybody about Cathedral City, she is so in love with it, you may expect nearly the whole population of Redlands down there next winter out of sheer curiosity, at least." Alright brother, you are doing fine.

Claude Cobb celebrated a recent birthday by taking on one of the finest jobs a man could ask for, and that is operating the new ice depot. Just the thought of it lowers the temperature. I was going to say he was going to keep his eye on it but Claude never has established a reputation for having a cold eye so we will skip that.

Last week I reported the visit of Sergeant Joseph F. Flitz of the Army Air Corps. I still have my eye on Phat as I know his strong leaning for humor. Did he have anything to do with the spelling of the Sergeants name as Flitz? It sort of ties in with an aviator.

Mrs. John J. Groves writes from Chicago and Milwaukee and way points and her cards are most interesting. She will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cruncleton, who have substantial property interest here, were out inspecting and looking after the same.

Villager Declares That He Will Take Slate Every Time

T. E. Kramer, Palm Springs resident now with the U. S. Navy, believes California has it all over Florida—especially this part of California.

Kramer, who had just been promoted to aviation mechanic, second class, and is now on his way to one of the many fronts, wrote: "I sure miss the old desert," he wrote friends here. "I've been in Florida for about six months and I don't see how people can compare it with California."

"In three different Florida camps the main view was swamps and mosquitoes."

"I'd like to see the desert and the snow-capped mountains again."

Mrs. Roberta Peterson, of the La Clase school, wife of City Clerk Robert Peterson, on leave for navy service, is spending the summer at Hermosa Beach. Peterson is stationed in Los Angeles.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Wigwag

Frequently the Navy, the Coast Guard and the Signal Corps find it expedient to relay messages without benefit of telephone, telegraph or radio. That is when the semaphore system is employed.



Like a single flag in the "Wigwag" system, the purchase of a War Savings Stamp or Bond, in itself has an infinitesimal effect upon the entire war effort, but when 130 million determined people set their minds to make our War Bond drives successful, the result is anything but infinitesimal. U. S. Treasury Department

The R. G. McLearn family who recently became residents in Cathedral City, have his father as a guest.

Residents who are spending varying periods of time off the desert were here this past week and included W. L. Jordan, real estate broker and apartment owner; A. M. Galloway, owner; Mrs. Jerome Sweet and sister, Miss Bruskey, property owners; W. K. and Mrs. Wolseth, owners of the Desert Lodge and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Laas. R. J. said it was a welcome sight to see E. J. Wheeler presiding at the Totem Pole cafe and took away their principal problem of food while on an overnight visit.

Mrs. L. Grace Green and sister were here last week and Mrs. Green made arrangements to have some repairs made on her dwelling. Mrs. Green expects to return here again this week. And we have heard whispers Mrs. Green is interested in our library.

Mary R. Yoder and daughter, "B Y" have written they miss the desert so much. One of the nice things about our pioneers leaving for vacations we are mutually glad to see our friends when they come home.

What is going to happen to the Desert Sun this week? Robert Hillery, who has faithfully looked after the paper here each Saturday for several years, is with Billy Carey enjoying two weeks at Camp Emerson, the Boy Scout camp at Idyllwild. Guess we will work out some sort of emergency distribution.

Fred E. Springer and James W. Kyle each received their awards for serving more than 500 hours at the Observation post. Several others are nearing that mark and a new crop of observers, mostly army girls, are nearing the 100 hours of service and will receive the beautiful arm band presented by the Fourth Fighter Command.

Walter Colglazier, Navy CB and former Palm Springs high school boy, writes his family from Alaska that he finds the country so interesting he expects to return there after the war. I sure want to talk to that boy when he returns from the north. If I was a young man, I would want to go there again.

Incorporation Papers Filed by Jap Problem Group

The Pacific Coast Japanese Problem League, Monday filed articles of incorporation with Secretary of State, Frank M. Jordan, as a non-profit, non-partisan California corporation. A representative of Palm Springs will be named at a later date to handle the work of the league here.

Original incorporators, all of whom have been active in the effort to keep the Japanese from being returned to the Pacific Coast, include Judge Russ Avery, President of Pacific League; Walter H. Odemar and Eldred L. Meyer, Grand Trustee and Past Grand President, respectively, of the Native Sons of the Golden West; Ben S. Beery, prominent attorney and Legionnaire; Henry Kearns, President of the State Junior Chamber of Commerce; Clyde C. Shoemaker, former Deputy District Attorney of Los Angeles County and Frederic T. Woodman, former Mayor of Los Angeles.

OBJECTS OUTLINED

Purposes and objectives of the new organization as stated in its incorporation papers are:

"Pacific Coast Japanese Problem League has been organized for the purpose of co-ordinating the ideas, objectives, influence and efforts of individuals, groups and organizations in the States of Washington, Oregon, California, Nevada, Idaho and Arizona, who are interested in the protection of the Pacific Coast area from any and all phases of the Japanese menace."

The League, which has opened its principal office at 112 West 9th Street, Los Angeles, will also establish regional offices in the principal cities of the Western States, while local chapters are already being organized in many California counties.

INVITED TO JOIN

The new organization is the outgrowth of a state-wide conference held in Los Angeles recently is sponsored by more than fifty organizations. It also has already developed an active membership of several hundred individuals.

According to Judge Russ Avery, President, all individuals, organi-

Enlisted in the TROOPS OF INDUSTRY

THE RAILROADER

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In the Know With the USO

By Gail Sollender

Now that the swimming pool has been given that bath and is proudly ready for the co-ed swimming parties of the future, and now that the inside of the club is painted and restlessly awaiting the new furniture, we feel we can dig more deeply into that long list of things we need, and need badly. So, if you'll settle back in that armchair for a spell, I'll take you on a genteel begging tour, which is about what our needs amount to.

First on the list is BOOKS—and then more BOOKS! We know many residents of Palm Springs are living pretty precarious lives these days, which doesn't permit the carting of libraries around the country, but those of you who have extra books and find you won't be reading them—well, we are just the people who can use them. The boys gobble 'em up, and especially the new ones by war correspondents. Your donations will be a big boon to our soon-to-be-completed library and reading room and I don't know of anyone more deserving than soldiers, do you? So—if you have them, and don't want them—we do!

As for MAGAZINES—we can use any and all types of the past two or three months. The boys go strongly for Esquire, Reader's Digest, Time, Life, Newsweek and comic books. They literally devour them, and we can't begin to keep enough on hand. The mad maneuvers of Superman, Dick Tracy and Little Abner hold them fascinated, so those comic books are important!

And how we need PING PONG BALLS and CUE STICKS! The combination only goes to show what sports they like, and we can't keep the equipment up to the demand. And—wishful thinking—if there is anyone in town who owns an unneeded BILLIARD TABLE COVER, we'd do most anything to have it. Ours is pretty well battered, and they're awfully hard to get. We promise quick and welcome use of it. As for the rest of the items, they cover everything from Swimming Suits, Tennis Rackets, Tennis Balls, Records, a Phonograph and a Juke Box, to Card Tables. Are we asking too much? Well, perhaps, but we have had such wonderful cooperation from Palm Springsites in so many things we have needed here, that we are in hopes of fulfilling out latest requests.

Our hostesses of the day, Mrs. Betty Libbott, Mrs. Marie Holland, Mrs. Hazel Jones, Mrs. Evelyn Imler and Mrs. Marjorie White are doing a fine job of volunteer work and we appreciate their many hours of hard (and it IS hard) work. As the temperature rises so does the work, so volunteer jobs these days are worthy of thanks.

See you next week with more news of our plans for the future. Yours in USO.

zations and groups who are in harmony with the League's objectives are invited and urged to participate in its activities.

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Thousands of Acres Blackened by Flames

Thousands of acres of valuable timber and watershed land were blackened and several ranch buildings destroyed in the most disastrous forest fires of the season to date in the nearby area.

Equipment from San Bernardino and Riverside counties fought the blaze in the Oak Glen section back of Beaumont from Thursday of last week to Sunday. Effect of the blaze was felt on local temperatures.

W. F. Denham of Denham's Automotive Service, is out of the Village on a two week's vacation.

Thurston J. Davies Residence Is Sold

Mr. and Mrs. Thurston J. Davies have sold their residence property at 1575 Via Salda to Mrs. Edna Martin, records at the county court house at Riverside revealed today.

The papers in the transaction were recorded by the Riverside Title company.

Dr. V. A. Chapman, eye, ear, nose and throat specialist here for many seasons, is spending the summer at his place at Montague, Mich. He expects to return in the fall.

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Tale of Australia In Frontier Times Attracts Readers

One of the novels most in demand at the Welwood Murray Memorial Library, according to Dorothy L. Bear, librarian, is "Capricornia."

This novel, by Xavier Herbert, of life in northern Australia, won the Commonwealth Literary Prize Competition on the occasion of Australia's 150th Anniversary celebration. A best-seller in both England and Australia, it has received high praise from critics.

The story is built around the efforts of a half caste, the son of a white man and a bushwoman, to win a place for himself. It is intensely interesting, bursting with life, tough, full of humor and violence and provides an authentic picture of Australian frontier life as has ever been made available.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Langtry, Village winter residents, are now at Evanston, Ill., but expect to resume their travels soon before returning to Palm Springs in the fall.

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"It's a Jap! Hurry up! Heads, I get him—tails, you do!"

Arsonist Confesses Starting Disastrous Forest Fire; Is Committed to Patton

Jack C. Barger, 29, of 3830 Golden Terrace, Culver City, who admitted having set the fire which started at Oakglen last Thursday afternoon and burned over 2100 acres of brush and timber between Oakglen and Pine Bench before it was extinguished Sunday, has been committed to Patton State hospital. He was ordered confined there after doctors testified that their examination disclosed he is insane.

In addition to setting the fire, which officers say he admitted, Barger is suspected of starting five other brush fires, burglarizing the Day Canyon ranger station north of Etiwanda and later holding up the forest workers at the station and, finally, of striking and seriously injuring an attendant in the psychopathic ward at the San Bernardino county hospital.

ADmits INCENDIARISM

Harvey French, enforcement officer of the San Bernardino National Forest, who arrested Barger at the point of a gun near the Day Canyon ranger station last Friday night, filed an affidavit of insanity against the man. French said Barger admitted setting the Oakglen fire. He told French "people were chasing me" and that he "set the fire to drive them away."

After starting the fire, French said, Barger remained on the scene for nearly an hour and watched the equipment arrive. Thursday night he spent in an orange grove near San Bernardino and Friday went to Day Canyon.

BREAKS INTO STATION

French said Barger broke into the Day Canyon ranger station while forest crews were out fighting fire. Before he got away the crews returned, surprising him and he fled into the forest. Shortly before dark he returned to the station, held his hand in his pocket, simulating the presence of a gun, and forced fire fighters to load groceries into a sheet. Again he fled into the forest.

Officer French, who had been summoned from San Bernardino in the meantime, met Barger on the road enroute to Day Canyon. The latter dropped the food and jumped into the brush. Later he appeared at the station again and was arrested by French at the point of a gun.

FBI INVESTIGATES

The F. B. I. is conducting a separate investigation. Officer French said, to determine whether there was any enemy-backed sabotage involved.

After being placed in the psychopathic ward at the hospital, Barger struck an attendant with a piece of hospital equipment, causing a brain concussion and making it necessary to take five stitches.

BURNS OVER 2100 ACRES

The destructive forest fire, which burned for three days along the south slopes of the San Bernardino mountains north of the San Geronio Pass, threatening both the Beaumont and Banning water sheds, was brought under control late Saturday afternoon; and by Sunday morning was completely out. Several hundred weary fire fighters, many of them soldiers, left the scene al-

Dunes Cafe to Go The South American Way After July 26

The Dunes, popular cafe and lounge at 238 North Palm Canyon drive, is going that South American way.

On Monday, July 19, the Dunes will close down, Neach Faierman, owner, announced this week. New rugs, new drapes, new booths, a repainting and redecoration job, will then get under way.

The cafe will reopen on July 26 and the theme of the new decorations will be found by its patrons to be a South American motif.

S. B. E. Representative Visits Palm Spings

J. P. Greene, public relations officer for the State Board of Equalization, was in Palm Springs on a brief visit Wednesday.

While here he called on Policeman Joe Smoot, whose son-in-law, Major Robert Thacker, is one of the heroes of the war in the Pacific.

Mr. Green is a life-long acquaintance of the Thacker family of El Centro and knew Major Thacker when the latter was a small child and later, as a school boy, Major Thacker was winning many model airplane meets.

though patrols were maintained for several days.

The blaze had its effect on the temperatures here.

RANCHES MENACED

The fire started in a debris dump on the Charles Ficke ranch on the Oakglen road at 2:30 Thursday afternoon and swept over 2100 acres, starting in the Oakglen district and extending eastward to Pine Bench. Seventeen hundred of the acres burned over are in the San Bernardino National Forest. Little timber was burned although the flames spread rapidly toward the timberland. Much of the damage was to the Beaumont watershed. This was the first major fire in the San Bernardino Forest this year and threatened ranches in the foothills north of Beaumont and Banning.

All the buildings at the Mile High ranch were destroyed by the fire and one cabin along the Oakglen road. There was no other damage to improved property.

FROM TWO COUNTIES

Forest Supervisor DeWitt Nelson moved his headquarters to the fire late Thursday afternoon and remained to direct operations until it was extinguished. State forestry crews of both Riverside and San Bernardino counties gave all possible help to the U. S. Forestry service which had 24 truck crews at the scene. The several hundred soldiers were from Camp Haan.

The fire burned to the very edge of Pine Bench north of Banning before it was stopped. A swath 16-feet wide was cut all around the bench with machinery and the fire burned up to it.

Pvt. P. C. Steffensen is now stationed at the army base at Fresno, "much closer to home" he wrote to friends here.

Pay Telephone Bills before the 30th and receive your discount.

Reservations for Coach Travel on S. P. Now Needed

Advance reservations for Southern Pacific coach trips will have to be made by those planning journeys on or after July 16, it was announced today by George B. Hanson, General Passenger Agent for the railroad.

Under the new arrangement, coach reservations will be made for definite trains but not for specific cars or seats, except on trains where seat reservations have been previously required, Hanson stated.

NOT VIA TELEPHONE

"We will not be able to make coach reservations by telephone because of the load on telephone lines," he said, "and no coach reservations will be made unless a ticket has been purchased." These steps are being taken, Hanson explained, because of the unprecedented passenger traffic which has resulted in many trains being badly overcrowded.

"On many of our trains people are standing in coaches and sleeping in the aisles," he said. "Frequently trains leave people waiting at stations because there is no room for them. Obviously, something must be done to correct the situation."

GIVEN PREFERENCE

"This new wartime plan requiring coach reservations will limit the number of people on each train. Also, subject to unforeseen emergencies, travelers will know whether or not coach space is available before they prepare to board the trains."

Service men also will be required to make advance reservations, but they will be given preference, Hanson stated.

Discount on City Business Licenses Expired on June 30

The ten per cent discount allowed on city business licenses applied only to those who paid before or on June 30, it was pointed out at the city hall this week.

Many business firms are sending in their checks dated after July 1 and claiming the ten per cent discount. They are being billed for the difference.

All business licenses became due July 1. To speed payment and to save the expense of billing, the city offered a reduction of 10 per cent to those who paid for the 1943-44 fiscal year in advance. The deadline on the discounts was June 30.

Many business houses here took advantage of the 10 per cent reduction but many, who paid after July 1, also deducted the 10 per cent. These will have to make up the difference.

Mrs. E. C. Boles Off On Summer Vacation

Mrs. E. C. Boles, operator of the Tahquitz Inn, 124 East Arenas road, left Wednesday for Los Angeles to spend a week before going on a vacation trip.

The Tahquitz Inn will reopen in the fall.

Marylou Kingsbury, of the city hall staff, and Ann Curry, secretary in City Attorney Roy W. Colegate's office, are spending their vacation at Yosemite, leaving this week by train.

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Rationing Rules

Your Coupon Schedule

Coffee — Stamp No. 21 good until July 21 for one pound per person over 14 years of age. Stamp No. 22 good for one pound between July 22 and August 11.

Sugar — Stamp No. 13 good for five pounds per person until August 15.

Shoes — Stamp No. 18 in War Book 1 good for one pair of shoes until October 31.

Gasoline — Coupon No. 6 good for four gallons through July 21. Coupon No. 7 in new book valid July 22.

Canned Goods — Blue stamps N, P, and Q good to August 7.

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All are good for 16 points and all expire on July 31.

"P" Valid June 27.

"Q" Valid July 4.

"R" Valid July 11.

"S" Valid July 18.

Tire Inspections—A-book cars next deadline September 30.

B-book cars, next deadline, Oct. 30.

C-book cars, next deadline, August 31.

Marriage License Issued in Village

A marriage license was issued Saturday at County Clerk Gordon A. Pequegnat's office to Edwin Walter Rapphun, 22, and Genevieve M. Harrian, 22, both of Palm Springs.

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Capt. J. B. Howat Of Banning Urged For Defense Post

Action on the appointment of a new chairman for the county defense council is scheduled next Monday when the nomination of the defense council is presented supervisors for confirmation.

Three hundred dollars per month and expenses for a period of 90 days was voted Monday by the county board of supervisors for a county chairman of defense. After that time, it was stated, some definite action will be taken. The board met with Mayor Frank Shannon of Palm Springs and Harry D. Jenkins, who recently resigned as defense chairman, to discuss the matter before the action.

It is understood that Captain J. B. Howat of Banning will be appointed to the position since he has the endorsement of the county defense council. Mayor Shannon suggested his appointment at the meeting of the board Monday. Howat, according to report, will go on the job as of next Monday. The board was to have taken action on Jenkins' resignation Monday but tabled it without action when it was presented. The resignation had been previously accepted by the defense council.

Mayor Shannon said here Wednesday that the defense council would in all probability nominate Captain Howat for the position when it meets next Monday morning at Riverside.

Immediate confirmation of the nomination by supervisors will be asked.

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Schools in Wartime Conference Subject

Schools in wartime and problems of juvenile delinquency were discussed by Southern California school superintendents at a meeting in Los Angeles early this week.

Miss Katherine Finch, Desert School district superintendent, who is staying in West Los Angeles for the summer, represented this district at the session.

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The Women Join Up!

SINCE the Women's Auxiliary Army Corps has been authorized by Congress to strike the word "auxiliary" from its title, and has been constituted as a regular branch of the United States Army, it is reported that enlistments have picked up tremendously. And it is announced that the Women's Army, which now has an enrollment of only a little more than 65,000, may be expanded to 600,000 members by fall, when it will attain full military status.

Commentators in the women's magazine will doubtless make great point of the fact that the women, having attained "equal rights" in the army, are now showing a new disposition to join up and do their part to relieve men who are needed at the front. But more important to the country as a whole is the fact that the sudden spurt in feminine enlistments may avert the drafting of tens of thousands of fathers, who otherwise would have been called up for service this fall.

Heretofore, the women have contended, they were considered by the public as a sort of glorified kitchen police—a status which they vigorously protested. Now they are to have the same rights—and except for fighting—the same duties as men wearing the same uniform. While we hope that the day never comes when American women will be called upon to fight in the lines, as Russian women are doing, we are glad that the term WAACs has been shortened to WACs—and that the ladies, having won their point, are joining up in rapidly increasing numbers.

We can't imagine what effect this will have on the American Legion conventions of the future, when the ladies turn out in full regalia to swap yarns and share honors with the men, but perhaps it will give new zest to such reunions. At any rate, thousands of men with families will be permitted to stay home and take care of their own because the Women's Army was permitted to attain full stature.

"Diamond Dick" Goes West

AT a time when new American aces are being born almost daily, and when news dispatches tell a continuous story of their expert marksmanship and their daring exploits, the death of that fabulous character, "Diamond Dick," might escape attention, except for the fact that some of us are incurably romantic.

Dr. Richard Tanner, 74, better known to America as "Diamond Dick," whose amazing feats of marksmanship electrified countless audiences at Wild West shows before the turn of the century, died quietly, with his boots off, at Norfolk, Nebraska, last week. There was nothing colorful about his death; it was very mundane, indeed. But to oldsters, who adventured with him vicariously in the years gone by, his passing marked the end of an era.

When he was in his early twenties, "Diamond Dick" saddled a horse at Lincoln, Neb., and rode it to New York and back—5,500 miles, the longest horseback ride on record. Then he toured the Wild West circuit—and his "wing shots" became the talk of the Nation. "Diamond Dick" had everything that tired business men wanted—and that farm lads aspired to. And he became the great American legend.

"Diamond Dick" is gone—and how the pulp paper magazines will miss him. But if he was conscious to the last, he probably died smiling, knowing that even as he passed into eternity other "Diamond Dicks" were blazing a trail of hot lead over Europe and the islands of the Pacific. Actually, "Diamond Dick" will always be with us, as long as we are a young Nation, with all that it takes to defend our borders. We imagine "Diamond Dick" knew that, as he cashed in his checks, and that he was happy in the knowledge.

Flaming Youth Again

History repeats itself with respect to juvenile problems, as in other things, it appears. Those who can turn back the pages of memory to the days of World War 1 will recall that during the hectic post-war period which followed we were concerned with the antics of flappers and flippers and what we dramatically called "flaming youth."

Well, "flaming youth" is flaming again, according to testimony gathered by the Assembly Interim Committee on Juvenile Delinquency, and California's problem is particularly acute because tens of thousands of 'teen age boys and girls, recruited

YOU'RE IN THE ARMY NOW

By. Capt. Herc Ficklen



"He's the one I'm training, Sarge—He sorta resents that K. P. duty you've been givin' me!"

from all parts of the Nation, have come here to work in war plants and government military projects.

"Never before in the country's history has there been such a migration of juveniles," George Jarrett, secretary of the San Francisco coordinating council, told the Assembly committee. And this host of 'teen age migrants, many of them without parental supervision for the first time in their lives, has contributed heavily to the rise in juvenile delinquency.

Where we were concerned with gin marriages and hip flask cowboys during the outbreak of flaming youth in World War 1, Don Marshall, liquor enforcement officer for the Board of Equalization, said one of the major problems among youngsters today is the "bottle drinker." Because under-age boys are shooed out of bars and can't drink legally, they resort to having an older boy buy a bottle—and proceed to kill it at one sitting. Petty thievery, attacks on their girl companions and other crimes are often a result.

Working mothers, who neglect their children, are another contributing factor to the present jump in delinquency, it was testified, and almost all of the juvenile authorities agreed that parental discipline is at low ebb. The lure of port cities for young girls; the break down of moral standards, due to the excitement of abnormal conditions—these are other causative factors, not so different from those of 1918. Admitting we have had the same problem before doesn't solve it, but it may, at least, help us in a rational approach to it.

"I Rise to Remark"

By CONGRESSMAN JOHN PHILLIPS

This is about the MACE of the House of Representatives. Aside from the flag, the mace is the only visible symbol of Federal Government authority. It has no counterpart in the United States. It is as old as the Government itself, having been provided for in a resolution adopted by the House during the First Congress, in 1789. It has served ever since as the visible symbol of the authority of the Sergeant-at-Arms, who is charged with the duty of preserving order on the floor of the House.

These preliminary comments are taken from a very interesting little booklet, giving the history of the mace, and details of its use, written by Kenneth Romney, the present Sergeant-at-Arms. I would be glad to send a copy of the booklet to anyone interested.

The House of Commons has a mace. I have seen it and I presume the idea of having one for the House of Representatives of the new "United States" came from the minds of men familiar with that mace. That one lies, in a horizontal position, in holders on the desk of the clerks of the House.

Ours stands in a pedestal of green marble, to the left of the Speaker, as we face him. There are two pedestals; when the Congress is in session, it stands in the higher pedestal, when we are in the "Committee of the Whole House" it stands in the lower pedestal. This is important, for a Member or a visitor in the gallery can tell instantly, by looking at the mace, just what the situation is, and indirectly can tell about the quorum, for 218 is the quorum for Congress, but only 100 for the Committee.

The first mace was destroyed when the British burned the Capitol in 1814. A mace of painted wood was used until 1841, when the mace we now use, a beautiful example of silversmith's work, was made by William Adams of New York, reproducing the original mace. It is 46 inches high, and is a bundle of 13 ebony rods (for the 13 States) bound with a band of silver. A 4½ inch globe on top is surmounted by a beautifully carved silver eagle with outspread wings.

It is seldom used these days to restore order, but its informal history records many times when it

was "raised." When members, in the excitement of debate, reached a point of personal violence, the Speaker would tell the Sergeant-at-Arms to "raise the mace" and the very significance of having it lifted from its pedestal and carried solemnly to the place of controversy has invariably been enough to avert further trouble. In the Fifty-first Congress, usually spoken of as "boisterous," the Speaker frequently directed the Sergeant-at-Arms to walk up and down the aisles with the mace in his hands!

The last time the mace was "raised" was in the 73rd Congress (the present Congress is the 78th) to prevent a threatened encounter between a Representative from California (who is ordinarily one of the mildest of men and a classmate of mine at the same Quaker college in the East) and a representative from Georgia.

There are two other maces in the United States; one is a presentation mace given the Corporation of Norfolk, Virginia, in 1753 and kept in a glass case in a bank vault, and the other is still used in the House of Representatives of South Carolina and was made in London in 1756. The story of the English maces is as interesting as ours, and history students will remember that Cromwell, who didn't like the ornateness, called it "that fool's bauble" and ordered his soldiers to take it away.

Lieut. Keith Rapp, former local business man, who recently won his wings at the Napier Field, Alabama, Officers' school, was a visitor in Palm Springs last week.

Mrs. Louise McCarn, city manager, was a visitor in Los Angeles over the week-end with her daughter, Martha, who is now attending the summer session at Pasadena Junior College.



AERIAL GUNNER — Chester Morris is "Aerial Gunner" to be shown at the Palm Springs theater July 18 and 19.

Heavy Penalty on Employers For Wage Increases

The National War Labor Board's recent order placing new restrictions on individual wage increases puts a heavy responsibility on employers and stringently limits voluntary wage raises, Paul Shoup, industry member of the Tenth Regional Board, declared today.

Regardless of his personal wishes every employer must comply with the law and the wage stabilization directives of the Board. Violations are not only a criminal offense, but if any wage is illegally paid the total wage so paid will be disallowed as a business expense by the Internal Revenue Department in connection with company's income tax.

"Many employees seem to believe an employer can raise wages whenever he wants to," Mr. Shoup said. "This, of course, is not true. Management is not only subject to the general provisions of the Wage Stabilization Law of last October, but under a new order by the War Labor Board, General Order No. 31, effective June 1, 1943, issued pursuant to the President's 'hold-the-line' order and individual wage adjustments are now strictly controlled."

Banning Man Heads American Legion in Riverside County

Orin E. Nay, who has done such a good job as president of the Banning post of the American Legion during the past year was elected president of the Riverside county council at a meeting held Saturday in the Cherry Valley grange hall. Approximately 40 men were present representing eight posts.

The speaker was Congressman John Phillips of Banning who spoke informally on matters of special interest to the veterans.

Congressman John Phillips gave some interesting points on the session of Congress now in recess and emphasized the idea that the new veterans join the Legion, rather than to form a new and separate organization. He and Carlson, County Service officer, related what is being done for the disabled of the present war, when discharged, especially as to hospitalization and compensation. Major McFall and Capt. Eggen asked the support of the Legion in the new State Guard program.

Retiring 21st district commander, A. R. Cowan of Arlington, was present. Vern Shippey of Orange county was endorsed by the county Legionnaires to succeed him and Jack A. Bennett of Riverside received endorsement as first vice-commander.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Pendery are spending the summer months at Lake Arrowhead.

Miss Leone Greenbaum of Phoenix, Ariz., has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Hennes of the Desert Drug company for the past week.

"My friends," said a preacher, "you will remember that I promised to speak to you tonight on 'The World's Greatest Liars,' and that I asked you to prepare your minds by reading the seventeenth chapter of St. Mark. Kindly raise your hands if you have done so."

All hands went up. "Thank you," continued the preacher. "As there are only sixteen chapters in St. Mark, my subject will not be entirely inappropriate."

"How are you getting along at home while your wife is away?" "Fine. I've reached the height of efficiency. I can put on my socks from either end."

Soldier, Stationed Near Palm Springs, Dies After Crash

Clifford L. Moore, 21, stationed at Palm Village, east of Palm Springs, was fatally injured in an unusual accident Wednesday on the highway between Beaumont and Calimesa.

Another soldier, Jack A. Neff, from the same camp, suffered a fractured shoulder in the accident.

Neff was piloting a jeep which was towing another jeep with Moore at the wheel when the second vehicle began to whip from side to side. Before Moore could control it, it overturned, pulling the other car over, too.

Both men were taken to the army hospital in Banning where Moore died shortly after the accident. Neff is still at the hospital.

Coroner Ben F. White investigated the accident and signed the death out as accidental. He said there would be no inquest.

The body of Moore was removed to the E. H. Preston funeral home at Riverside.

Worden's to Close All During August

Walter Worden of Worden's Jewelry, announced this week that his store would close on August 1 and remain closed all during August.

Mr. and Mrs. Worden plan to vacation during that period.

Lykken's Store Now Has New Department

Carl G. Lykken of Lykken's department store, has added a large and well-chosen stock of sporting goods which are now on display.

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who stuck with the task of checking tire numbers, comparing signatures and addresses and the countless other details of processing the applications.

He also declared that the applications during the last week were, on the main, correctly filled out. During the early part of the rush many errors of commission and omission cropped out.

One Palm Springs Man on Long List

In a recent issue of Life magazine which listed the military dead in the war to date, the war to date, the names of 24 Riverside county men were given.

The name of one Palm Springs man was in the list: Richard F. Gill.

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Mrs. McAdoo Calls Council Meets . . . Bond Conference In Riverside

Mrs. Eleanor Wilson McAdoo, director of the women's division of the War Bond Staff for the Pacific coast, and Mrs. Helen L. Gale, chairman of the women's division for Southern California, have arranged for a conference at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, July 20, in the El Loro room at the Mission Inn in Riverside, for a discussion of the stamp and bond program for summer and fall.

Mrs. McAdoo will bring her impressions received from her contacts in the western states. Dr. Hildegard King, Riverside county chairman of the women's division of the War Savings Staff, wrote Mrs. Sartin that she is anxious to have as many women as possible present at the meeting and would like to have representatives of various women's organizations.

Air Base Chaplain To Preach July 25

Chaplain Walter Ferris from the 21st Ferrying Group of Palm Springs, will occupy the pulpit at Community Church on Sunday, July 25, Dr. J. R. Macartney, pastor, announced this week.

Dr. and Mrs. Macartney are spending the summer months at Forest Home but have been coming to the Village week-ends to conduct Sunday services here.

"So you made your girl friend say Uncle?"
"Yeah, I married her rich aunt."

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pealer, knocking the measure out in toto.

A split vote is certain on the measure and the decision is expected to be close.

Another item up for consideration is the municipal pool experiment. When council authorized the use of a private pool, that of Councilman Cutler, for conduct by the Recreation Commission as a public pool, the plan was to give it a one-month test.

Reports of patronage and conduct of the public at the pool will be presented next Wednesday. Indications are that the plan has been so well received and the patronage so good, that it will be continued to the closing day originally set, Sept. 12.

Councilman Cutler, in proposing the experiment, said he wanted to prove to other property owners that private pools could be loaned to the recreation commission during summer months without damage to property if properly supervised.

Japs Know . . .

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ating unless you have seen it," he remarked.

SUPPLIES GOOD

He also declared that the supplies for the New Guinea campaign were most excellent. At no time did the troops suffer for lack of what was needed.

"We received wonderful backing from the people at home," he said. "There was a time, of course when motor transportation bogged down and we were supplied from the air. Food, munitions, medical supplies and other needed items were dropped from planes, either by parachute or freely. At no time were there complaints from the men."

Under General MacArthur's orders, the Australian and United States forces pooled their supplies. The Americans had the air force and small boats for water transportation; the Australians had motor equipment. These were all treated as one unit without a hitch.

IN BIG DRIVES

Col. Herrold was on the staff of Brig. Gen. Hanword McNider, former head of the National Guard and American Legion commander, in the Buna and Gona campaigns.

He has been in the army for 26 years and was at Pearl Harbor on Dec. 7, 1941. His youngest son, Tommy, 13, was killed by a Japanese bullet as an enemy plane flew low to strafe the small boat in which the boy and friends were fishing that morning.

WITH MacARTHUR

The name of General MacArthur has long been associated with Col. Herrold. When he was discharged from the First World War as a sergeant, to enter West Point, the discharge was signed by MacArthur. And after Pearl Harbor and Bataan, he was assigned to MacArthur's staff.

Col. Herrold was anxious to get back to Washington to see his wife and boys. He hadn't seen them since they were evacuated from Honolulu on Christmas Day, 1941.

"Then I want to go back to the Pacific. That is our most important front. There is too much to be done there to remain away long."



COMING—Hal Roach's "Prairie Chickens" with Jimmy Rogers, Noah Berry, Jr., and a flock of other stars, will be shown at Palm Springs theater July 18 and 19.

Churches

PALM SPRINGS FULL GOSPEL CHURCH

Pastors Mrs. E. W. Watkins and Mrs. Ruth Williamson

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Classes for all ages.

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Sunday night Evangelistic services, 8:00 p. m.

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No services during July and August during absence of Rev. Robert M. Hogarth, Vicar, at Del Mar, California. Palm Springs services reopen Sunday, September 12, at 8 a. m. and 11 a. m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Dr. J. R. Macartney, Minister

10:30 a. m., combined church service and Sunday School.

No evening service during summer time.

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Service at A. H. Hall

Sundays: 9:45 a. m. — Sunday school.

6:30 p. m.—Bible Class.

7:30 p. m.—Young people's Y. P. W. W.

8:00 p. m.—Preaching service.

Tuesdays at 8 p. m. — Prayer meeting.

Thursdays at 7:30 — Missionary meeting.

AN EXAMPLE

"The English," remarked a French orator, "are not much inclined toward the study of the French language, and when they do pick up a few words of our language they are sometimes inclined after a time to think such words belong to their own nation."

"Once," he continued, "when our fleet was at Portsmouth visiting the English fleet and helping to cement friendly relations between France and England, an English sailor exclaimed, 'Say, Frenchie, what's the bloomin' French for entente cordiale?'"

A woman's way: If at first you don't succeed, cry, cry again.

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11 a. m.—Service.

Wednesdays at 8 p. m.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Understanding is a wellspring of life unto him that hath it." This declaration from Proverbs is the Golden Text in the Sunday Lesson-Sermon on "Life" in all branches of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston.

"In by Father's house are many mansions: . . . I go to prepare a place for you," says Jesus in a Lesson-Sermon passage from the Gospel of John. "Thomas saith unto him, Lord, we know not whither thou goest; and how can we know the way? Jesus saith unto him, I am the way, the truth, and the life: no man cometh unto the Father, but by me." And Jesus "lifted up his eyes to heaven, and said, Father. . . glorify thy Son, that thy Son also may glorify thee: . . . And this is life eternal, that they might know thee the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent."

In "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" Mary Baker Eddy writes: "The way is straight and narrow, which leads to the understanding that God is the only Life." "This is life eternal, says Jesus—*is, not shall be*; and then he defines everlasting life as a present knowledge of his Father and of himself,—the knowledge of Love, Truth, and Life."

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH

Wayne Stringer Home

410 No. Indian Ave.

10 a. m., Saturday, Sabbath school, 11 a. m. Saturday, preaching service.

Village Quota . . .

(Continued from Page One)

involved in the fall drive, to select delegates to confer with him as soon as possible so that a meeting may be called to effect a local organization, elect a permanent chairman and committee, and start plans here.

NATIONAL PLAN

The national quota for the coordinated relief drive has been set at \$125,000,000.

Riverside county's share of this quota is \$106,250. Palm Springs' quota was set at one-eighth of the county quota or \$8,500.

The plan is a national one, divided into state units which in turn are divided into county units and then into community units.

Teacher—What do you mean by walking out of my lecture yesterday morning?

Student—I think I was moved by what you were saying.

Only One Service Starting Sunday at Community Church

Starting next Sunday, services at the Community Church will be held at 10:30 a. m. only, Dr. J. R. Macartney, pastor, announced this week.

There will be a combined Sunday School and church service at that hour and the regular Sunday School period will merge with the worship service. After a sermonette by the pastor, the children will go out during the singing of the second hymn.

FOURTH IN SERIES

Dr. Macartney will deliver the fourth talk in his new series, "Men Who Missed It," next Sunday.

"Solomon, the wisest man, a great king and a great ruler, ended in the ditch because of too many lady friends, will be the topic," he said.

Last Sunday morning the Bible character presented in the series was Haman, who in the days of Ahasuerus, King of Persia, sought to exterminate the Jews. He missed, being hanged on the very gallows on which he had planned to hang Mordicai, the Jew.

MANY TRIED IN VAIN

Many have attempted to exterminate the Jews but all have failed. Pharaoh tried it by drowning the boy babies in the Nile. Senacherib tried it when he invaded Jerusalem but left the corpses of 185,000 of his army on the Judean hills.

Adolph Schickelgruber attempted it, slaughtering thousands upon thousands of Jews. This demon-inspired villain will also fail, said the pastor. Like Haman he will be hanged on the gallows which he prepared for Mordicai.

"The mills of the Gods grind slowly but they grind exceedingly fine. One absolutely certain reason for the collapse of Hitler is the vengeance God will take on him for his treatment of the Jews," said Dr. Macartney in closing his talk.

Several from Village To Attend Conference

Planning to attend the Bible Conference conducted by Dr. J. R. Macartney at Forest Home during the week of July 18 to 25 are Harriet Ames, Betty Rust, Dixie Green, Hazel Veith, Mary Gordon Coutts, Sandra Small and Mrs. George Quigley, from Palm Springs.

Each week a different group of southern California young people go to the canyon for the Bible conferences conducted by the pastor of the Community Church.

SUBTLE APPROACH

"I fear I can see no chance of your ever succeeding as a writer, Miss Withers—er—you don't happen to know of anyone wishing to dispose of a typewriter?"

"So you married a home girl?"

"Yes, she's at home at bridge parties, cocktail hours, movies, restaurants and nightclubs."

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Friday, July 16, 1943

The Desert Sun—5

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Mrs. Edwin Aden To be Soloist at Community Church

Mrs. Edwin Aden, of New Orleans, wife of an army man stationed here, will be the soloist next Sunday at the Community Church, Mrs. Walter Illick, in charge of the music at the church during the summer months announced today.

Each Sunday, some noted singer, now in the Village, is heard at the Church.

WAY BACK WHEN

An old timer is one who can recall when a fellow had a special shirt and suit he always wore on Sunday — Greensboro (Ga.) Herald Journal.

He also remembers wearing low shoes for summer and high ones for winter.

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HARDY GURKHAS

Two Gurkha soldiers, who had volunteered for service with India's sky troops, asked an N. C. O.

"From what height are we supposed to jump?"

"Five hundred feet," was the reply.

"Nothig doing," they said; "it's too high. Can't we try from 300 feet?"

The N. C. O. explained that from such a low height there was a danger of the parachutes not opening in time, and the Gurkhas broke into smiles.

"Oh, that's different," they said. "We get parachutes, do we?"

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With the Boys in the Service

21st FERRYING GROUP NEWS NOTES

Ferrying Division, Air Transport Command, Army Air Field,
Palm Springs, California

By Sgt. George Goodale

WORLD'S ALL-STAR TEAM—"STARS" IS RIGHT

We almost feel ashamed not to let the keys of our battered old portable typewriter, which we turned out to pasture when we entered the army, click out today's lead item.

Some of the key arms are bent where a human pachyderm—better known as a wrestler—fell on it at ringside. There are dents in its sides where it made the intimate acquaintance of batted foul balls. Even the imprint from the cleats of a football player's shoe are among its scars, although we don't exactly remember how it got down on the playing field. Some of its keys are as flattened down as some of the fighters' noses it typed about.

STILL SOME RUST

There's still a bit of rust on it, where a cold wintry rain fell on it one day in Chicago's stadium. There are even smudges of lipstick and grease paint on it from its chores in makeshift offices in theater back-stages, where it went on duty after transferring from its favorite corners in many of the nation's athletic field press boxes.

It was quite a mill and it earned its rest for the duration on the same day we threw out our arm heaving peanuts at a radio announcer in the booth below a baseball stadium press-box. Ah, those were the days—then! How were we to know that the radio announcer would become an important ferrying division officer?

NOTABLE TEAM

However, perhaps this G. I. typewriter won't mind because we found a baseball story to our liking, inasmuch as its about the army, too. We read it in the soldiers' edition of Sporting News and we feel it is worth comment.

Clark Griffith, president of the Washington Senators of the American league, spoke at a club there recently and named the greatest all-star team of all time, with nothing but generals on it. He referred to the greatest team in the history of West Point, the 1915 outfit that licked everything except whipped cream.

Furthermore, Griffith pointed out that it is the only team which stayed together through the years and that it is still together fighting for the same cause.

STAR-STUDDED OUTFIT

The team was:
Catcher, Gen. Dwight Eisenhower; pitcher, Gen. J. F. Miller; first base, Gen. Jacob Devers; second base, Gen. Charles Milliken; third base, Gen. Charles Gerhart; shortstop, Gen. Vernon Pritchard; right field, Gen. Leland Hobbs; center field, Gen. Omar Bradley, and left field, Gen. Hugh Mitchell.

Old Fox Griffith also pointed out that baseball was created by a general of the U. S. Army—Abner Doubleday. And something else Griffith related, a historical fact, we think is typical of those important men who live under the Stars and Stripes. It's a story he told of Abraham Lincoln.

IT COULD WAIT

When Lincoln was notified of his nomination to the presidency a commission got off a train in Springfield, Illinois, to find him playing ball. He kept the committee waiting until he had a chance to get another base hit.

And although the presidency of the United States was at stake, it had to wait until Abe had his turn at bat.

MR. FOUR BY FOUR

Speaking of balls, and if we may be a bit descriptive in a facetious manner, we've got a corporal on our Post who isn't much taller than a good sized medicine ball and is just about as wide.

He's Cpl. Charles Reinemann, Jr., of South Holland, Ill., who condenses down to four feet, 11½ inches tall and spreads out far enough to tuck 180 pounds in that up-and-down area.

What we like about him though, is that he has a sense of humor twice as big as is shadow in a bright sun. By his own admission he used to drive a milk truck and the company officials always pointed him out and said: "Drink our milk and see what happens."

He has a 15½ neck, 25 inch arms and legs and a 42 waist. He

nois before he could be given a uniform.

At this Post he stood next to Sgt. Bob Felger in a formation one day and on the command of "close interval, right dress, caught Felger's elbow broadside in his right eye. Felger, of course, is big enough to hunt lions with a fly-swatter.

VIVID DREAMER

The least you can say about Pvt. Fred Foster, who has a nice, cool job in the PX, is that he is a vivid dreamer. He went to his home at 534 So. Palm Canyon drive, the other afternoon and fell asleep. He dreamed that he was in hell and that he could hear flames crackling and feel the heat.

When he woke up he learned that the house next door had burned to the ground.

PROP WASH

The Night Flyers, our baseball champs, are sporting new uniforms . . . were bought by the A. and R. dept. . . the wives of S. Sgt. Don Burris and Sgt. Gordon Plunkett have arrived here to be with their men . . . M-Sgt. Hap Homan cooked steaks at the NCO club the other eve . . . general reports were that he's a good cook . . . at least there hasn't been a run on the Post hospital yet . . . Cpls. Frank MacNeil, Tommy Keough and Herbie Pilato on furloughs . . . Cpl. Eddie Kubisz back from his . . . Lt. Joe Caraway went to Hollywood the other day to see his fellow home-stater, Bob Burns, but got sidetracked and landed on Hedy Lamarr's movie set . . . which we think is the best mislead plan we've heard of to date . . . Kay Dickson's comments on snakes and drawers need rehearsing so it won't be confusing to us . . . Lt. Maurice Conn says the salt tablets he takes after lunch are very helpful to him a couple of hours later . . . make him feel like a new man, he says . . . course he's on duty at the swimming pool then on the Red Cross life saving course . . . could make a difference . . . the test tube of Lt. Thomas Gurley's disposition, Pfc. Maurice Prince, became a year older this week . . . we wonder what would happen if Sgt. Irving Arluck's left hand got its customary boogie-woogie urge when he's playing the piano in the Post Sunday morning religious services . . . Lt. Elwyn Smith, the assistant provost marshal, pinched Lt. Knox Pittman for speeding . . . rumor says Lt. Pittman took Lt. Smith for a plane ride the next day . . . comment on that, operatives say, has been limited.

Later promotions of the week went to Eugene G. Jensen, technician third grade; Thomas L. Dish, Alex Weinper, Allen Gordon, sergeants; Leonard V. Chodoronek, Clyde Mordica, Brantley D. Alsbrook and Roy E. Ekberg, corporals, and Feliciano Aldaco, technician fifth grade.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

Pvt. Leonard Pennario reached the age of 19 last week and had a birthday party of virtually all his own last Sunday night when he finished a stint at the piano and walked off the Hollywood Bowl stage with the thunderous applause and shouts of "bravo" of thousands that almost shook the trees that line the mountain sides of that natural amphitheater.

He had just played the Rachmaninoff concerto in D minor, the second and third movements, with the great Los Angeles Philharmonic orchestra behind him. One of the few pianists in the country to do this piece, Pvt. Pennario's performance was as skillful as landing a P-38 in the jungle without disturbing a leaf of vegetation and it was as charming and full of virility as a rosy strawberry double thick malt.

A few days ago, though, we could not help but give out with an amused grin as this same Pvt. Pennario had to take his vaccinations. What a pair of sore arms he got, and we thankfully agreed with him that it was great that he took shots this week instead of last. Lots of music lovers would have missed a rare treat if he could not have played.

KEEPING POSTED

All it's going to take is a pair of eyes, with or without spectacles, or a pair of ears, with or without phones, to learn about this 21st Ferrying Group.

This week's Saturday Evening

18 Officers Given Promotions During Week at Air Base

Promotions of 18 officers to higher rank featured administrative activities of the 21st Ferrying Group, Ferrying Division, Air Transport Command, at the local army air field this week, according to an announcement by Lt. Col. Andrew B. Cannon, commanding officer.

Advanced from first lieutenants to captains were Sam Mack, Lawrence Bryant Askins, John K. Cabell, Richard C. Gearhart, Lee J. Halling, James Albert Sloman, George H. Speer, Jr., Lee W. Berling, Joseph W. Teagarden, Jr., and Robert G. Webb.

OFFICERS MOVE UP

Second lieutenants who became first lieutenants were Arthur Gregg Wellington LaShelle, Natt Leavitt Collins, Simon Miller, Joseph Salvatore Ferrari, Thomas William Gurley, Jr., Jay Douglas Lockerby, John Roy Koller and Elwyn Perry Smith.

Several enlisted men also received boosts, officers were assigned to duties, enlisted men shoved off for advanced schooling and service ribbons were awarded pilots.

Powell H. Richardson was made a technical sergeant.

William M. Kline, Louis J. Stamp, Jr., Augustus F. Crowley and Adolph F. Radawich were made corporals.

ADVANCES TOLD

Howard E. Abrams was made technician fourth grade, William C. Bramble was made technician fifth grade and advancement to private first class was given Earl P. Hoisington, Thomas F. Leach, Bradford M. Morris, Perry J. Turner, Ralph J. Macri, John T. Kriste, William A. Kimber, LeRoy A. Boyd, Myron H. Eldsmos and Louis Valenzuela.

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CHAPLAIN'S CORNER

Lt. Walter Farris, post chaplain, will speak on "Into the Land Beyond Tomorrow" at the general Sunday morning worship at 9 o'clock. Congregational singing will be led by Pvt. Ralph Zellers and Sgt. Irving Arluck will be at the piano.

The Revival hour has been renamed the Gospel Hour and beginning Sunday, July 25, at 7:30 p. m., the services will be held in the chapel.

Hebrew services have been planned at the Base at 9 a. m. each Saturday, with Rabbi Judah Katz, desert representative of the Jewish Welfare Board, conducting the service.

Singers are needed for the Chapel Choir which rehearses each Wednesday at 7:15 p. m. Enlisted men, their wives, officers and their wives, and civilian personnel are asked to volunteer.

Life in the Army Can't Hold Many New Thrills for Pfc. Victor Vasquez, Now At Air Base, Than Civilian Life Did

If life in the army turns up more thrills for Pvt 1st Class Victor Manuel Vasquez than it did when he was a civilian, then he's due for some exciting adventures.

Pvt. Vasquez, a native Puerto Rican, was slugged over the head by a thug the first day he arrived in America and robbed of all his money. More recently, as a soldier-father, he attempted to unravel legal and international tangles to get financial assistance to his family. And he hasn't yet seen his baby daughter because a German torpedo cast him adrift in the Atlantic ocean. A few weeks after being rescued he enlisted in the Army Air Forces to settle this last score.

STATIONED HERE

Now he's serving with the 21st Ferrying Group, Ferrying Division, Air Transport Command, at Palm Springs. Pfc. Vasquez' family has been in Sabana Grande, Puerto Rico, which brought international complications into the financial picture that the International Red Cross had to iron out. Yesterday, through the direct efforts of C. L. Hughes, American Red Cross field director at the Palm Springs army air field, he received word that the long-awaited allotment from his army pay had reached his family.

Birth certificates and other legal papers which the army must require before allotments can be paid, had to be dug out in Sabana Grande.

U-BOAT VICTIM

Pvt. Vasquez and his wife were married a few years ago in New York City and when child-birth was impending, he sent her to Puerto Rico to be with his parents.

He was aboard ship when it was sunk, enroute to join her for the baby's birth. Ironically, the baby was born on the day after he was torpedoed, as he was being tossed about on the Atlantic in a small boat with 28 men, women and children aboard. They were shelled by two subs and before they were rescued by an American destroyer three days later, three occupants of the boat died from wounds, Vasquez said.

They were returned to the United States and shortly afterward Vasquez enlisted in the army to try and settle his grudge against the Axis personally.

war went to Capt. Harold W. Morrow, Lt. James A. Price and Lt. George M. Bush.

WEAR INSIGNIA

Fifteen enlisted men qualified to wear army air force technician badges. They are M-Sgt. Jack O. Mittan, S-Sgt. Allen O. Cooper, S-Sgt. Oscar B. Eide, S-Sgt. Benjamin B. Walter, Sgt. William G. Bloodworth, Sgt. Wayne S. Close, Cpl. Garden B. Hubbard, Cpl. Clifford S. Henderson, Cpl. Guy O. Machen, Jr., Cpl. Walter T. Proctor, Cpl. Martin J. Sullivan, Cpl. Albert I. Miller, Pfc. Owen L. Miller, Pfc. Edward L. Scagnelli and Pvt. Sigmund Goldstein.

Designated as radio operators and authorized to wear the aviation badge for air crew members are Cpls. John H. Sanders and Ralph L. Thompson and Pfc. Louis J. Stamp, Jr. Designated as an aerial engineer is Pvt. Harry L. Wyatt.

Officer assignments made include Lt. Maurice Conn, assistant theater officer, and Lt. William T. Langjahr, base signal officer.

Lieut. Ted McKinney Likes the Home News

Lieut. Ted McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. McKinney of McKinney's court, 634 South Palm Canyon drive, is now stationed at the army air base at Long Beach.

"It is nice to receive The Desert Sun here and get the news of Palm Springs and of friends scattered all over the world," he wrote.

Corporal Foldes Is Now at Fairfield

Cpl. B. V. Foldes, manager of the Palm Springs hotel who left last fall to enter military service, is now stationed at Fairfield, Cal., at the Suisun-Fairfield base of the Ferrying Command.

During his absence in the army, the well-known hotel is being managed by his sisters, Irene and Margaret.

Lt. Florain Boyd Given Prominence In Camp Magazine

From the U. S. Naval Auxiliary air station at Kingsville Field, Kingsville, Texas, came this week a copy of "The Alert," the post magazine. It was the first anniversary edition of the paper.

Among the many illustrations was one of the Central Office where officers' records as well as the administration of the station is handled. Seated at his desk in the midst of his staff was shown Lieut. Florain G. Boyd, widely known Palm Springs resident.

Lt. Boyd is in charge of the Central Office at the camp.

Cpl. Keller Is Now In Army Hospital

Cpl. Donald H. Keller, former Villager, is now in the station base hospital at Camp Blanding, Fla., awaiting his discharge from the army.

Cpl. Keller plans to return to his home in Detroit after quitting the hospital and go into defense work, to put his hardest licks on the home front.

"I enjoyed getting the news of Palm Springs via the Desert Sun which you sent me," he wrote.

Pfc. Barkow and Wife Visit With Parents

Pfc. Harold Barkow and Mrs. Barkow visited the former's parents, Sunday. Pfc. Barkow is stationed at Fort MacArthur and Mrs. Barkow is living in San Pedro this summer.

He was in charge of Desert Sun advertising until inducted into the army in December. Mrs. Barkow was in charge of the office of the Sun until she went to the harbor city to be near her husband.

Pfc. Barkow's father, Carl Barkow, is publisher of the Desert Sun.

Palm Springs Youth Now at Utah Base

Siegmund A. Hermann of Palm Springs is now stationed at the army air force basic training center at Kearns, Utah, according to word from that base.

Men at the camp are taught how to fight, protect themselves under battle conditions, how to march, the use of arms, and kindred subjects before going to duty with ground crews.

Stanfield Is Named On Post War Board

Chairman Ralph W. Stanfield of the Riverside county board of supervisors has been named on the Post-War Planning committee of the California Supervisors' association, he was informed this week.

What You Buy With WAR BONDS

Beans

So long as a soldier can eat and think up disparaging names for his equipment the Army will do all right. Food is either "beans," or "chow."



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U. S. Treasury Department

TORNEY GENERAL HOSPITAL EVENTS

News of the Enlisted Men of the Medical and Quartermaster Detachments at Torney Army General Hospital, Palm Springs
T-5 Wm. Willard

MAKE RESERVATIONS EARLY

Coach space on Southern Pacific trains must be reserved in advance by service men as well as civilians for trips on or after July 16th, it has been announced by F. S. McGinnis, vice-president in charge of passenger traffic for the railroad. Service men will be given preference, but they are urged to buy tickets and make reservations as early as they can.

Under the new arrangement, coach reservations will be made for definite trains but not for specific seats. These steps are being taken to help relieve the overcrowded condition of trains due to unprecedented passenger traffic.

SYMPHONY SUNDAY

Postponed from last Sunday evening, the Symphony Under the Stars program for this coming Sunday at 7 p. m. will consist of the Francesca da Rimini Overture, the Piano Concerto in B Flat Minor, and the Symphony No. 5, all by Tchaikowsky. These weekly classical recorded concerts are gaining in attendance as the patients and duty personnel fill up the corner in the lawn west of Ward A to hear the world's finest music. After twenty-two weeks, the program has reached the point of being the oldest consistent weekly entertainment feature of Torney General Hospital. All recordings are from the private collections of Pfc. Arnold Bauer and T-5 William Willard. Cpl. Willard, who gives a commentary each Sunday night, discusses briefly the composers and the artists on record. Intermission is called before the Symphony is played and refreshments, provided by Capt. Ward and the Dietetic Dept., are served. This program is offered for those who wish a quiet thoughtful hour or two at the close of a summer's day.

JOIN STAFF

Five Dental Officers, Lt. Col. Hankins, Capt. Werner, Capt. Feuerberg, Capt. Weinert and Lt. Sutton have recently joined the 22nd General Hospital staff.

Lt. Col. Gould, Commanding Officer of the 22nd General Hospital, headed the 22nd on two night hikes recently, one for seven miles, and one for eight miles. The troop left the detachment area at 7:00 p. m. and returned at 9:45 p. m. Only one man was reported to have fallen out of the line of march.

Cpl. Ruzic and T-4 Bedwell left 22nd GH for Army Specialized Training School and nine men have left for Cook's and Baker's School.

CLIMB MOUNTAIN

Last Sunday a party of eight men from the 737th Medical Sanitary Company went mountain climbing and discovered the beauty and fascination of Tahquitz canyon. Enthusiasm ran high in the party and they plan to go again soon.

SPECIAL SERVICE

From a War Department Circular comes the announcement that from now on all Special Service Departments will be staffed by Civilian Personnel, under the direction of an appointed officer. The Special Service Department at Torney Hospital is headed by

Lt. Joseph E. Bird, M. A. C., whose recent schooling in the east has prepared him for the job ahead. All enlisted men have been placed in other lines of duty, and their places are being filled by women who past experiences and work qualify them for this specialized type of program. The Special Service Department at the Hospital has built up an enviable reputation according to Lt. Bird. While attending school, he was able to trade accomplishments with other officers from other posts and hospitals throughout the country, and found that our own department was far ahead in many activities. In most cases, this hospital was on a par with other posts in athletic and entertainment programs. With his training, Lt. Bird will be able to guide the new personnel into different ideas and schemes while keeping the existing programs alive and interesting in the months to come.

BEAT ME, DADDY

On Thursday night, July 15th, at 7:00 p. m., the hospital grounds will rock and roll to the finest swing on record. This program arises from many requests from the patients and enlisted men whose ears are bent double by the endless din and cacophony issuing from the never-stilled juke box at the PX. The finest instrumentalists and orchestras in the world of jump and jive will be present by wax proxy: New Orleans Rhythm Kings, Louis Armstrong, Duke Ellington, Jimmie Lunceford, Count Basie, Bob Crosby, Art Tatum, Teddy Wilson, Coleman Hawkins, Benny Goodman, Artie Shaw, Tommy Dorsey, Jimmy Dorsey, John Kirby, Jess Stacey, Joe Turner, Pine Top Smith, and numerous small combos which have been turning out the finest swing for many years without the fanfare with which big name bands surround themselves.

The session will be headed by Cpl. Wm. Willard, with Pvt. Huey Knight spinning the platters. A contest will be presented midway, allowing the men to guess the name of the tune and the orchestra playing. Prizes will be given to the first five men whose memories are sharp.

This will be a regular Thursday night feature for the Summer months at the hospital. The opening program is made possible through the loan of these collectors' items by Mr. Bert Willard, a reporter on the Los Angeles Examiner, whose collection of the better swing classics is one of the finest in Southern California.

While serving in the Navy for the duration, business is going on as usual.

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IN THE JUSTICE'S COURT OF RIVERSIDE TOWNSHIP, COUNTY OF RIVERSIDE, STATE OF CALIFORNIA
SUMMONS
Action No. 4278

JAMES P. McDILL, as Deputy, Division of Labor Statistics and Law Enforcement, Department of Industrial Relations, State of California, Plaintiff vs. LOIS KELLOGG, Defendant.
THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA SEND GREETING TO: Lois Kellogg, Defendant.

The above named Plaintiff, having brought action against you in the Justice Court of Riverside Township, County of Riverside, State of California, by filing a complaint (copy of which is required to be served herewith).

YOU ARE HEREBY DIRECTED to appear and answer (in writing) the said complaint within ten days (exclusive of the day of service) after the service on you of this summons, if served within the County of Riverside, and within thirty days if served elsewhere. And you are hereby notified that unless you so appear and answer (in writing) said complaint as above required, said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and seal this 19th day of May, 1943.
(SEAL)
R. A. MOORE, Justice of the Peace of Riverside Township, County of Riverside, State of California
Attest, Virginia Vagliaro Clerk
Publish June 18, 25; July 2, 9, 16, 23, 30; August 6, 13, 20.

New Trial Motion Granted in Autrey Commission Case

Sgt. George Goodale, former Hollywood public relations man, now in the army and stationed at the local air base, was awaiting word from his attorneys today while pondering the sudden turn of events in his suit against Harry Wurtzel, actor's agent, in which the Los Angeles superior court reversed an earlier decision, once sustained, and granted Wurtzel a new trial.

Sgt. Goodale was awarded a \$21,324 verdict against Wurtzel in April. He presented evidence that this amount was due him under an agreement with Wurtzel that he was to be paid a percentage of Wurtzel's earnings as agent for Gene Autrey. Goodale was instrumental in bringing Autrey, for whom he was handling publicity, and Wurtzel together, it was shown at the trial.

In June Judge Samuel R. Blake, who heard the case, denied a motion by Wurtzel's attorneys to set aside the verdict.

This week, however, a motion by the agent's lawyers for a new trial, was granted by Judge Blake.

At the trial Wurtzel denied that Goodale had introduced him and the cowboy star. Sgt. Goodale claimed the agent had received large sums of money from Autrey and that under an agreement, he, Sgt. Goodale, was to receive one-half of the commissions.

Schedules

For Your Convenience

MAIL SCHEDULE

Post office at 174 North Palm Canyon Drive. R. M. Gorham, postmaster.

Outbound mail closes on Week-days at 11:00 a. m., 5:00 p. m., 7 p. m. On Sundays at 5 p. m.

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Greyhound depot at The Plaza and Indian avenue. R. R. Dunlap, agent.

Eastbound
Leave Los Angeles: 9:30 a. m.; 12:30 p. m.; 3:30 p. m.
Arrive Palm Springs: 2:22 p. m.; 4:55 p. m.; 8:19 p. m.

Westbound
Leave Palm Springs: 4:39 a. m., 7:25 a. m.; 1:39 p. m., 6:09 p. m.
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Westbound trains pass Palm Springs depot at 7:06 a. m., 7:24 a. m., 2:06 p. m., 6:38 p. m. arriving in Los Angeles approximately four hours later.

Eastbound trains arrive here at 12:08 p. m., 8:24 p. m., 10:21 p. m. and 12:02 a. m.

Legal Notices

NOTICE INVITING OFFERS FOR SALE OF REAL PROPERTY TO SCHOOL DISTRICT

WHEREAS, the Board of Trustees of the Palm Springs Union High School District proposes to purchase for school purposes one parcel of land containing ten (10) acres, more or less, situated in juxtaposition to the present high school property, which is described as the South three-quarters (3/4) of Lot 27, in Section 13, Township 4 South, Range 4 East, S. B. & M., as shown by Map of Palm Valley Colony Lands, recorded in Book 14 of Maps, at page 652 thereof, records of San Diego County, California;

NOW, THEREFORE, the owners of real property situated in juxtaposition to the said high school lands are invited to make sealed offers for the sale of one parcel of land, containing ten (10) acres, more or less, to the Palm Springs Union High School District. Each offer shall contain a legal description of the lands offered for sale, the acreage contained therein, and the price for which said lands are offered. All expenses of sale, including escrow charges, shall be borne by the seller who shall also furnish a policy of title insurance in the name of the High School District.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, on the 4th day of August, 1943, at twelve o'clock noon, the said Board of Trustees will meet at Palm Springs High School, in the City of Palm Springs, County of Riverside, State of California, and will at that time consider offers for the sale of one parcel of land containing ten (10) acres, more or less, to the Palm Springs Union High School District, for school purposes.

The Board of Trustees reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
BY ORDER OF
BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF PALM SPRINGS UNION HIGH SCHOOL DISTRICT
By Charles J. Burket, President
By John Sprague, Jr., Clerk
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Adams, S-Sgt. Samuel, R.

Adams, John A.

Archibald, John, Army

Athelstun, Warren, Army

Ayala, Fred S., AAC*

Bagwell, Archie, AAC

Bailey, Delbert, Navy

Barkow, Harold, Army

Bedwell, Edward

Bell, S-Sgt. George E., AAC

Belyea, Robert, Navy

Bennett, Capt. F., Army

Combest, Wesley D., Army

Bigman, John, Army

Bogart, Lt. Frank, Navy

Berta, Dominic, Navy

Bogges, Lt. Wm., Army

Bourne, Barney, Navy

Bosworth, J. B., Army

Boyd, Lt. Florian, Navy

Boyd, Comdr. Thales S., Navy

Brown, Lt. Harold A., Army

Bryant, Leonard R., Navy

Buckley, Lt. W. R., Army

Burt, George, AAC

Burris, Earl, Army

Caro, Marcus, Army

Camaddo, Emilio, B., Army

Campbell, Clifford D., Army

Colbert, Rex, Army

Cox, Ben J., Navy

Clark, Lt. John P., Army

Clark, William, Navy

Campbell, Sgt. Henry, AAC

Combest, Wesley D., Army

Coble, Warren, Navy

Coble, Ferdinand, Army

Craft, Floyd R., Army

Candelaria, Bob, Army

Castro, Charles, Army

Claworth, Lt. Fred P., Jr., Army

Coglazier, Walter, Navy

Coffman, Cadet Owen, AAC

Colley, Jim, Army

Collins, John, Navy

Craig, Stanley S., Navy

Craig, Sgt. Richard, Army

Crossley, Leon, Army

Crumpton, Lt. Charles

"Buster", AAC

Curtis, Noble, Navy

Curry, John, Navy

Cutler, Ensign James, Navy

Dalley, Graydon, Navy

Dapron, Frank, Army

Davis, Arnie, Army

Davies, Stanley, Army

Denier, Rupert, Army

Dentek, J. F., Jr., Army

Derbonne, Carl, Army

Dobbs, Jack, Army

Downey, 1st Lt. J. H., AAC

Dowley, Ed, Army

Eckelman, Willard, Army

Ellman, Herman, Army

Evans, Frank W., Navy

Evitts, V. Lee, Army

Fairley, George, Marines

Falken, Roman, Army

Farkes, David, Navy

Farrell, Lt. Charles, Navy

Feekings, Gordon, Army

Felix, Joe, Jr., Army

Fitz, Cpl. Joseph F., AAC

Finnicun, Max, Navy

Foides, Bill, Army

Fontes, Frank D., Army

Foster, Herbert H., Jr., AAC

Freeman, Jack, Navy

Freeman, Hy, Army

Fritsch, Pfc. Armin S., Army

Gaffin, Harry, Army

Gage, Guy, M. Marine

Gallman, Doc, Army

Gallanese, Joe

Galego, Alfonso, Army

Gandy, Charles, Navy

Georgien, Sgt. Joseph

Marines

Gaufr, Lloyd, Army

Gaudiello, Frank P., AAC

Gardello, Cpl. Alfred, AAC

Geggie, Donald, Army

Gilbert, Lee, Army Air Corps

Gillmore, Ralph, Navy

Gibbs, Bill, Coast Guard

Gill, Pfc. Richard F.

Marines

Goff, Dawson, Army

Goodin, Ed, NAF

Gorman, Donald R., Army

Gray, Ralph, Navy

Gray, Donald R., Navy

Gray, 1st Lt. Wesley, Army

Gray, Johnny, Army

Gurado, Savino, Navy

Guyer, Robert, Coast Guard

Hahn, Harry A., Army

Haas, R. W., Navy

Hager, Albert, Navy

Hager, Cecil, Army

Hake, Walt, Coast Guard

Hall, Allan, Marines

Hall, Bill, Navy

Hamilton, M. G., Jr., Navy

Hanzlick, Willard, Army

Hardy, Jack, AAC

Hargis, Lt. Robert, Army

Harlow, Harry Jr., Navy

Hedrick, Lt. Clyde, Army

Helser, 1st Lt. Wm., Army

Herrera, Pete, Jr., Army

Hiestand, Norman P., Navy

Hillery, Jack, Coast Guard

Hicks, Milton, Navy

Hinkle, Lt. Barney, AAC

Hobbs, Buddy, Army

State Attempts to Prove Bagley Shot While on Ground and Gun Placed in Hand After He Had Been Killed by Bill Keys

Twenty-six blood stains on a pair of trousers found in the home of William F. Keys shortly after Worth Bagley, former Los Angeles policeman, was slain near Twentynine Palms on May 11, featured yesterday's session of the trial of Keys on a charge of murder.

Ray H. Pinker, chemist for the Los Angeles police department, was the only witness called yesterday. He said the trousers were found hanging over a chair in Keys' living room.

HUMAN BLOOD

Pinker testified that he had examined the blood stains and found they were human blood. The 26 stains were on both legs of the work trousers.

Pinker's testimony was another link in the state's effort to prove that Keys shot Bagley while the latter was on the ground.

Earlier in the week Deputy Sheriff William Russell of the bureau of identification at San Bernardino testified that it was his opinion that the gun found in Bagley's hand had been placed there after he was killed and that Bagley was shot while lying on the ground.

DOCTOR TESTIFIES

Dr. W. K. Templeton, on the stand before Pinker, testified on the autopsy performed on Bagley. Under questioning he said that the shock of the bullets which hit him would have caused him to drop the gun.

Dr. Frank R. Webb, chief autopsy surgeon for Los Angeles county, testified to the same effect and added that sand and gravel were found in the wounds, apparently carried there by the velocity of a high-powered bullet.

BUILD UP CASE

Keys contended that the fatal shooting was in self defense and the result of a long feud between the two men over right to use a road over Bagley's property.

State's witnesses in the second week of the trial were all questioned along the same line, in an effort to prove that the gun was placed in Bagley's hand after he was killed and that he was shot while on the ground as claimed by Russell Tuesday.

SHOT IN BACK

Russell testified that Deputy Sheriff Heap of San Bernardino county, who was present when Keys related the story of the shooting to him, addressing Keys, said, "You shot the man in the back." To this Russell said, Keys replied that the rifle was an automatic and shot fast. Keys claims that he shot three times at Bagley after the latter had first fired at him.

Russell testified Keys told him

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This Side of the Sun

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be no clothes rationing. . . . If you patronize a black market for meat you are not only taking a chance on your own health but you are depriving the boys in the army of gut thread for sutures, adrenalin, hides for shoes, fats for nitro-glycerine. These are by-products of legitimate slaughter houses, lost by black market butchers.

J. ZERO — He always was a great kid, smart as a whip but full of life. His love for excitement resulted in many escapades which caused tongues to clack and people, not so zealous, to murmur "Poor Judge." The judge, his dad, just smiled benignly as if he hadn't heard a thing. Tongues clacked loudest when it was bruited about that from the vantage point of a front row seat in the balcony he had dropped an ancient egg with deadly accuracy on the bald head of his current school principal, seated below. . . . That deadly accuracy from above stood him in good stead. Today that kid's a hero. On his seventh wedding anniversary, he got seven Axis planes in the Mediterranean theater. "One of them's for you, Judge," he cabled his dad. . . . The tongues aren't clacking now — but I bet the judge is still smiling benignly.

PEDESTRIANS — Gasoline rationing has resulted in fewer bumps between autos because there aren't so many autos on the streets — but pedestrian casualties are increasing at a terrific rate. Toward the coast, the dim-out regulations are blamed. The wonder is that there are not more in Palm Springs where jay-walkers glare at motorists and defy them to smite. . . . M. B. writes that a truck driver, with 300,000 miles of driving behind him, got his first traffic citation the other day. He was pinched for jay-walking. . . . Next time you're in Los Angeles, if any, do watch your speedometer. On and after August 1, Los Angeles is going to ENFORCE a 30-mile limit in daytimes, 25-mile limit at night. They say they mean it.

BACK UP — The toll of war plant workers in the southland was zoomed up because of pedestrian mishaps and also, other accidents. A safety drive is in the making wherein all will have to reduce their speed. FDR's polite request for a 35-mile limit having been ignored, police are now going to use the big stick. . . . In this connection, why wouldn't a few safety talks to the soldiers and sailors by their officers do some good? The boys, eager to get where they are going, stand in traffic lanes, not only inviting disaster to themselves but causing crashes due to sudden stoppage or swerving of cars. . . . In the coastal dim-out areas, death and injury to soldiers seeking rides and crowding the traffic lanes is increasing alarmingly.

HATRED — From stories told by the boys back from two fronts, European and Pacific, the feeling in the ranks is markedly different. In Europe they are fighting for victory, to drive the Axis out of their conquered territory and to restore peace in Europe. They want to get the job done and come home. . . . In the Pacific, there's a little more to it than that. Japanese treachery and brutality has given rise to a thorough hatred of the enemy by U. S. and United Nations soldiers. The boys KNOW what they are fighting for over there. Rumors credit the Nip with inhuman tactics and some startling stories are expected to be revealed soon from that front.

PEACE — A movement is on foot to have the peace conference which ends this war, held in the state Redwood grove, Dr. John C. Merriam, prexy of the Save-The-Redwoods league, offered the suggestion. The peaceful atmosphere of the great trees is suggested as a soothing influence. All of the other conferences have been held in man-made environments. Why not give nature a chance to make man feel humble, ask the sponsors of the plan. Why not? . . . G. H. G. postcards about the autoist who was nabbed for hitting a fat man. The motorist's alibi was that he only had an A-book and didn't want to risk driving around.

HERO — "It isn't the machine alone — it's the combination of the men and the machine that makes the Flying Fortress." So says Ben Warner, Jr., son of Judge and Mrs. Ben Warner of Ontario. Ben Jr., recently shot down seven Axis planes as waist gunner on a B-17. . . . And he's right. The combination of the finest machine the makers could build and men who didn't fail in the pinch, did the trick. . . . Mrs. Warner said: "Bless his heart — he's doing a good job. We knew he would, even though we're worried half to death about him." . . . What the judge said wasn't given out but I'll bet Mrs. Warner is having trouble keeping buttons sewed on his vest.

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HERE THURSDAY — William Gargan in "Harrigan's Kid" at the Palm Springs theater July 22 and 23.

Rev. Hogarth Enjoys Summer at Del Mar

The Rev. Robert M. Hogarth, pastor of St. Paul's-in-the-Desert Episcopal church, writes that he is enjoying his summer stay at Del Mar where he is combining a vacation with summer services at St. Peter's Episcopal church. He is relieving Rev. Edward McNair, vicar of St. Peter's, who has gone into military service as a chaplain.

May Loans on Realty in County Are High

According to a compilation of loans made on county real estate in May, made by the Security Title Insurance and Guarantee company at the county seat, the total for the month was \$798,371. The compilation showed that \$34,910 was loaned on real estate here by the Palm Springs branch of the Bank of America.

Captain Whitaker Now at Pine Camp

Captain Earl J. Whitaker of Palm Springs is now located at Pine Camp, New York, following participation in the Tennessee maneuvers. "It was nice to get the Desert Sun and the news from home while in Tennessee," he wrote.

21st Ferrying Group, stationed here, crashed printer's ink twice this week. On Sunday, the Los Angeles Times featured a page of pictures of the Desert Brigade, a story by Christine Fox of the activities of women workers at the air base here. Incidentally, Sgt. George Goodale drew a nice picture spot at the top of the page. (Free plug for Sgt. Goodale whose weekly column is found on the Army Page of the Desert Sun) . . . Then there is that article in this week's Saturday Evening Post, with color pictures and all that, by Mrs. Wilberta Lipps, wife of Tom Lipps, and guiding hand at the Del Tahquitz. . . . An interview with Mrs. Lipps by famous author, it is a story you should read — providing there are any Sateveposts left in the Village.

WE WIN — It was a wealthy tourist from the cool and breezy northwest who came into the local Chamber of Commerce on a day when a nearby forest fire was aiding and abetting nature in really making it hot. He told Mrs. Bertha Carter, assistant secretary of the Chamber that he was interested in buying a home here. "How come you are here in summer?" asked a curious Villager. "I wanted to see Palm Springs at its worst," he said. "Now, I have and it isn't so bad. Think what it will be like during the season! But, excuse me, I've got a date with my hotel's swimming pool." . . . He's not the only one. Those in a position to know what's going on say that for the first time in their memory, tourists are coming here in July.

AND FINALLY — Council meets next Wednesday to discuss that much-maligned walk-wash ordinance. If the discussion gets much hotter, the Village sidewalks will be steam cleaned.

DeVine's Market to Re-Open July 23 With Large Stock

DeVine's Market, at the corner of Indian avenue and Amado road will re-open at 10 a. m. on July 23, a week from today. Johnny DeVine, popular proprietor, said today. The market has been closed since June 19.

During the early part of the closure, DeVine and his wife, Connie, have been enjoying a well-earned vacation. The past few days have been spent in getting ready for next week's big reopening.

During the period the market was closed, large stocks of merchandise have been coming in with the result that the shelves will be full when the doors are again opened.

In this new merchandise are many of the "hard to get" items, DeVine said.

The vegetable department has been enlarged and a large supply of fresh vegetables will be received daily.

The meat department will carry on as usual.

Interior of the market has been redecorated and put in attractive shape for the opening.

Outside of the market has been repainted and now has a blue front.

Large Crowds Out Nightly to Enjoy Fun at Local Rink

Margaret Anderson, proprietor of the Palm Springs Roller rink at the Field Club grounds, said this week that large crowds are enjoying the fun at the rink which will remain open all summer.

New music, an excellent floor and air-conditioning are making the rink a popular spot these nights.

Monday night is Ladies' Night and Friday is Club Night. "But every night is fun and entertainment night," Mrs. Anderson said.

Air Base Officer, S. F. Girl, Marry

Lieut. Alfred E. Assalino, finance officer at the air base here, and Miss Margaret Turner of San Francisco, were married in Los Angeles yesterday and, after a brief honeymoon, will come to Palm Springs to make their home at the El Encanto. Both are members of prominent and well known old San Francisco families and popular with a wide circle of friends.

Sam Hinton Conducts Hike for Service Men

Sam Hinton, director of the Desert Museum during winter seasons and a civilian employee at Torney General Hospital during the summers, last Sunday conducted a three-hour hike for men of the hospital in Tahquitz canyon.

Intimately acquainted with the plant and animal life of the desert and mountains, he made the trip a delightful one for the soldiers.

BUILDING PERMITS

July 8—Mrs. Gertrude J. Watson, 234 North Palm Canyon drive, repairs, \$150.

July 14—W. C. Gunn. Addition and remodeling grocery store at 665 South Palm Canyon drive, \$200.

Del Tahquitz Azure Dining Room to Be Open All Summer

Announcement was made this week that the Del Tahquitz hotel Azure dining room will remain open all summer, daily and Sundays.

Breakfast is being served from 7:30 to 10:00, luncheon from 12:00 to 2:00 and dinner from 6:00 to 8:00.

Air-conditioning makes the hotel and dining room a popular spot.

The Saddle Bar and oocktail lounge is also proving a popular place these summer nights.

Restrictions in the use of steel in war model ice boxes save an average of 79 pounds of steel per ice box.

Draft of Fathers Will Not Be Made Until Fall Is Word

First definite word to let fathers living with and supporting children born before last September 15, know how they stand in regard to the draft, came from Washington this week.

Officials of the selective service manpower commission told newsmen yesterday that fathers in that class will not be called until at least October, if then.

In wartime, an idle rumor in the mouth of anybody should remain that way.

Streamlined plastic tableware is used by the U. S. Navy, featuring non-slip and non-drip cups and saucers.

Plaza Theatre

NEWLY AIR-CONDITIONED—"TRY IT"

2 Shows Nightly, 7-9—Cont. Sat. from 4 p. m.; Sun. from 1:45

Sunday, Monday, Tuesday
July 18-19-20

Wed., Thurs., Fri., Sat.,
July 21-22-23-24

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BETTE DAVIS, ANN SHERIDAN, MONTE WOOLEY in
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2 years on the stage—2,000 laughs on the screen

also
Cartoon: "YANKEE DOODLE DAFFY"
Musical: "HAPPY TIMES"—and News

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY, JULY 22-23



also
Ann Corie in "SARONG GIRL"
with TIM and IRENE Ryan
CARTOON and NEWS

SATURDAY ONLY, JULY 24

George E. Stone, Constance Worth in
"Boston Blackie Goes Hollywood"

also
Don Barry and Lynn Merrick in
"SOMBRERO KID"

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